

A LEADER OF MEN IS ONE WHO SEES WHICH WAY THE CROWD IS GOING AND STEPS IN AHEAD.

This Week

Paragraphs of the Week

Six persons were killed and two seriously injured late Saturday night near Holden when an explosion of jelodine, a form of dynamite, occurred in a light truck.

A crowd estimated at 50,000 persons witnessed the aerobatic rendezvous in Augusta Sunday.

En route to their homes in New York and Pennsylvania from Maine summer camps Wednesday, 200 boys escaped injury in a train wreck, which occurred near New Gloucester. The accident was caused by damaged rails and the weight of the engine caused the tracks to spread. The track had been struck by a steam shovel which was being towed through an underpass by trucks.

The United States submarine Squalus again sank in the Atlantic Monday within two miles of the Isles of Shoals, after being lifted for the second time since May 23. Salvaging operations were nearly completed.

President Roosevelt has decided to proclaim Thanksgiving in 1940 the third Thursday in November; making announcement now to permit calendar makers to act accordingly.

Walter and Francis P. Murphy Jr., sons of Governor Murphy of New Hampshire, were seriously injured in an automobile accident on the Daniel Webster highway near Manchester, N. H., Monday.

German troops encircling the borders of Poland expect war any moment. It is reported that Poland is ready for a peaceful settlement but any aggression will be resisted.

Four foreign liners were ordered to remain in their Hudson River piers the first of the week to be searched by the United States custom men for arms in accordance with orders by the President, who has stated all foreign ships are to be searched to make certain they are not equipped at sea for offensive war purposes. Roosevelt believes failure to pass neutrality act by Senate at the last session of Congress is a factor in the European crisis.

The Italian government has raised the price of gasoline to 95 cents a gallon by a decree designed to conserve it for possible war use.

The French government has ordered all railroads in France turned over to the army, completing preparations for possible war.

No public comment has been made on the content of Hitler's reply to Great Britain's statement of proposition in the international crisis.

BEAN FAMILY REUNION HELD AT SONGO POND

A reunion of the Bean family was held Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bean at the Bean Pot and Bean Pot Annex at Songo Pond.

A picnic dinner was served at noon and a social day was enjoyed. Will C. Bean of Albany, N. Y., was elected president and Mrs. Dorothy Schmidt of Strong was elected secretary and treasurer for the coming year. The reunion will be held with Fred Bean next year.

Guests were Fred F. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Grover, Frederick Grover, Miss Hazel Grover, Miss Florice Grover, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Luxton, Carroll Luxton, Dr. and Mrs. Lorrimer Schmidt, David Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bean, Miss Cora M. Bean, Charles D. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bean, Roberta Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Gunther, Patricia Gunther, Howard Gunther, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Scott, Mrs. Mary Wight, Susanne Wight, Miss Ina Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McDonald, Marshall McDonald, Edward McDonald Jr., Miss Pauline Bean, Miss Jane Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith, Gardiner Smith, Charles Smith, Homer Smith Jr., Miss Virginia Smith, Miss Betty Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bean, Reona Bean, Elmer Bean Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bean, Miss Marjorie Keane, Richard Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jordan.

ANSON MAN HELD FOR CCC BREAK

Henry H. Spencer of Anson was arraigned in the Norway Municipal Court Tuesday charged with breaking, entering and larceny at the storehouse of the CCC camp at Hastings. He pleaded guilty, and being unable to furnish \$1,000 bonds, is held for appearance before the grand jury at the November term of Superior Court.

The break occurred early last week and the arrest was made at the Stow CCC camp Monday by Sheriff Francis and Deputy Sheriff Frank Hunt. It is said that articles taken from the storehouse were valued at \$255.

VASHAW—FLANDERS

Mrs. Elizabeth Flanders and Thomas W. Vashaw were quietly married Aug. 16th in Fryeburg by the Rev. Wilfred G. Rice.

Mrs. Vashaw was formerly the widow of the late Perley A. Flanders and has lived for many years in Bethel. Mr. Vashaw is a well known lumberman, having worked for 46 years for the Brown Company of Berlin, being one of their most trusted and efficient employees.

The bride wore navy blue with white accessories and carried a bouquet of white sweet peas. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Vashaw left by motor for a honeymoon trip to Montreal, Quebec City and up the St. Lawrence River country.

On their return they will reside in their residence in Skillingston, Bethel. The couple are well known both in New Hampshire and Maine, where their many friends wish them a long life of happiness and success.

GRANGES TO MEET AT NEWRY BRYANT POND AND RUMFORD

Bear River Grange held its regular meeting Saturday evening with the Overseer, Arthur Bennett, presiding in the absence of the Master. There were nine officers present. One application for membership was received. Plans for the three point meeting were discussed.

On Saturday evening, Sept. 9, Franklin Grange will come and confer the first and second degrees. Rumford Grange will furnish the program and we hope they may bring candidates too.

The program for the evening was in charge of the Home and Community Welfare Committee with Mrs. Etta Brinck as Chairman, and was as follows:

Men's Chorus
Reading, Edward Bennett
Piano solo, Elizabeth Wight
Remarks, Lecturer L. E. Wight
Solo, encore, Arthur Dudley
Tableau, "Independence"
Violin solo, encore, Madeline Dudley

Remarks by Susan Wight, a member of the State Committee
Men's Trio

Bros. Brinck, Taylor and Dudley
There were 19 members present. After the meeting games and stunts were enjoyed. Committee on refreshments to assist at the three point meeting are Madeline Dudley, Minnie Bennett, and Kathryn Taylor.

Previous to the meeting a six o'clock supper was served by this Home and Community Welfare Committee.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Carlson and family are guests of Mrs. F. B. Tuoll.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crockett returned Wednesday after spending a few days at the World's Fair. Miss Hazel Fuller or Upton was an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Lapham Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of Derry, N. H., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Tyler.

EAST BETHEL FARM BUILDINGS IN FIRE

Main House of George Haines, Stock and House Furnishings, Saved Saturday Morning

The Bethel fire department was called about 6.30 Saturday morning to fight a fire which threatened to destroy the farm buildings of George Haines, formerly the James Swan place, at East Bethel. Within three minutes the pumper and a skeleton crew of seven men including foremen were on their way. On their arrival the fire was well into the ell of the house, having destroyed a large barn, stable and shed, but after a fight of over an hour the blaze was under control in a blind attic of the main house. When discovered the fire was coming through the roof of the barn. All the stock was saved and the furniture removed from the house, but some 60 tons of hay in the barn and all farming tools, stored in the basement were lost. The loss has been estimated at \$5,000, which was partially covered by insurance.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL STATE ELECTION

September 11, 1939
STATE OF MAINE
County of Oxford ss. Town of Bethel
To Walter E. Bartlett

Constable of the Town of Bethel
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine, to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bethel qualified to vote, to assemble at Odeon Hall on the second Monday of September, the same being the eleventh day of said month, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine at Nine o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in their votes upon the following question:

"CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
"Shall the constitution be amended as proposed by a resolution of the legislature providing for an increase in the amount of state bonds to be issued for the construction of state highways heretofore designated as a part of the state highway system or to such as may hereafter be so designated, and interstate, interstate and international bridges?"

The polls will be open at Nine o'clock in the forenoon and will be closed at Seven o'clock in the afternoon. The selectmen will be in session at their office on Thursday, September 7th—Friday, September 8th—Saturday, September 9th, 1939 from 1 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

HEREOF, FAIL NOT and have you there and then this warrant with your doings thereon.

Given under our hands in the Town of Bethel this thirty-first day of August in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

ERNEST F. BISBEE
JOHN H. HOWE
CARROLL E. ABBOTT

Selectmen of the town of Bethel
A true copy, ATTEST:
WALTER E. BARTLETT Constable

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moore returned Sunday from a trip along the coast of Maine and Massachusetts.

Mrs. William Higgins of Detroit, Mich., was in town last Wednesday visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Hazel Nadeau of Waterville is this week's guest of her sister, Mrs. Wallace Coolidge, and family.

Mrs. Edna Smith, Mrs. Chester Chapman and Carlos Smith were in Togus Wednesday to get Mr. Chapman, who has been a patient in the Veterans' Hospital there for 10 days.

GOULD ACADEMY

will open for the Fall Term
TUESDAY, SEPT. 19

MARGARET TIBBETTS ON COLLEGE BUILDING COMMITTEE

Margaret Tibbetts, a member of the Junior Class of Wheaton College, has been appointed assistant college chairman of the Student Alumni Building Fund. The fund, which was raised last year by students, alumni, and trustees, will be used in the construction of a \$158,000 building. It is expected that the building, which will include offices for school organizations and an auditorium will be completed before 1940 commencement.

BRINCK-BROWN FAMILIES IN FIRST REUNION SUNDAY

The Brinck and Brown families held their first annual reunion Sunday, Aug. 27, at the Newry Corner Grange Hall, with 45 present.

After a dinner was served the business meeting was conducted and at this time a bouquet of red roses, a gift from her family, was presented to Mrs. Ella M. Brown by her great-granddaughter, Joyce Parsons. The officers elected were Pearl O. Kilgore, president; Arthur C. Brinck, secretary and treasurer.

The following program was presented:

Orchestra Selection
Imitations, Paul West
Song, Edith Parker
Vocal Solo, Arthur Dudley
Play, "Farmer's Daughter," Evelyn Cockburn, Marion and Muriel Brinck, Madeline Dudley, and Kathryn Taylor

Tap Dance, Margery Dudley
Violin solo, Madeline Dudley
Reading, Ethel Parker
Original Poem, Mrs. Ella M. Brown
Orchestra Selection

A history of the family was prepared and read by Evelyn Cockburn. The orchestra was formed with P. O. Brinck and A. C. Brinck and their families.

Then everyone went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kilgore, where pictures were taken and games enjoyed.

The relatives were Mrs. Ella M. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Parker, and Miss Helen E. Parker, all of Crystal, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Killeen of Lynn, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Parker and Cecil Wesley, Edith, Donald and Richard Parker of North Livermore; Misses Marion A. and Muriel E. Brinck of Lewiston; Mr. and Mrs. Louie West, and children, Joyce and Paul, of Norway; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mitchell of South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Chapman of Hanover; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kilgore, Walter W. Brinck, and Mrs. Chester Chapman of Newry; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brinck, Mr. and Mrs. Percy O. Brinck, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dudley and daughter Margery, Mrs. Henry Godwin and son Reginald, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. William M. Cockburn and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Brinck, all of Bethel, Jack Bosworth of Boston, Mass., Mrs. Eva Hinkley and Mrs. Decia Foster, both of Bethel, were guests.

The next reunion will be held on the last Sunday in August at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louie West of Norway.

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Through an arrangement with a large publishing company the Citizen is enabled to offer a copy of the New Universities Webster Dictionary absolutely free to its readers. We believe that this is one of the most valuable premiums ever offered by a weekly newspaper and the offer is in line with the policy of the Citizen of giving its readers the utmost in value instead of carrying on the familiar high-pressure subscription contest.

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The book is strongly bound in black artificial leather, semi-flexible, gilt stamped, round corners, red edges, with headbands and a four color frontispiece. It is over two inches in thickness and consists of more than 900 pages. It is packed in an attractive carton.

This premium has been advertised in the Citizen the past two weeks and has been met with a greater response than was expected. A shipment of the dictionaries is expected to arrive this week, several of which are awaited by our subscribers. Orders received by mail will be filled from our stock or sent direct from the publisher, depending on the number of books we have on hand when the order is received.

These books are absolutely free. Just pay \$2.00, the regular yearly subscription price, and the dictionary is yours. If more than one copy is desired, it is only necessary to pay the same amount for a gift subscription or for the extension of your own subscription for each copy wanted.

This offer is good for a short time only. The last day is Friday, Sept. 15.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Greig of Massachusetts are guest of Mrs. Greig's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brown.

Mrs. Clesson Spencer and two children of Littleton, N. H., are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. LaRue.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson, daughters, Patricia and Anne, returned to their home in New York Sunday after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gorman.

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People and Spots in the Late News



"BACK LATER" . . . Congress over, the President hung a "Back After Vacation" sign on White House and left for summer home at Campobello, where he is shown with Franklin, Jr., and latter's wife.



"BLACK-OUT" . . . London women, such as air raid precautions warden shown here, cooperated in recent British "black-out" when half of England was plunged into darkness as air raid defense test.



NO. 1 FARMER . . . Equipping farm machinery with pneumatic tires is big factor in making farm work easier, speeding production and lengthening life of equipment, according to Louis J. Taber, National Grange Master, shown at tractor's wheel in Goodrich World's Fair arena during Farm Week celebration.



BRIDGES OF TOMORROW . . . Rivers will be spanned in future with lightweight materials such as duralumin and aluminum, because today's bridges use up to five-sixths of strength supporting their own weight, scientists heard from Prof. John B. Wilbur of M. I. T., in Boston. Worker demonstrates lightness of aluminum beam for Pittsburgh bridge.

NET QUEENS . . . Miss Alice Marble, U. S. and Wimbledon champion (left), took women's Eastern grass court championship in straight sets from Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Fry, Wimbledon champion. Beauty score: even.

HANOVER

Miss Florence Howe, who underwent surgery recently is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Anver Lap-ham.

Mrs. Gentle Daly of Exeter and Portland spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders.

Mrs. Minnie Thompson has resumed her duties at Roberts' Furniture Store after enjoying a week's vacation at Rochester, N. H. and York Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders and Mrs. Gentle Daly motored to Deer-trees Theatre Tuesday to see Rudy Vallee in "The Man in Possession."

Angus McPherson has moved his family into the Thomas house in this village.

Miss Georgia Abbott, Miss Eloise Abbott and her father, Virgil Abbott, of Rumford dined at Sunny Ridge Farm Sunday.

A birthday supper was given Wallace Saunders at the home of his parents Wednesday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Addison Saunders and son, Mrs. Gentle Daly, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morrill of Rumford, the honor guest and wife and the host and hostess.

Miss Barbara Cummings is enjoying a vacation at her home on Saturday evening. She tendered a surprise wedding anniversary party to her father and mother. Cards were enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Barker, and the hon-

or guests for the evening, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cummings. Mrs. Addie Farwell of Bethel was also a guest.

The officers of the Library Association, Mrs. Eva Hayford, President; Mrs. Mildred Lapham, Vice-President; Mrs. Blanche Worcester, Secretary; and Mrs. Helen Barker, Treasurer, held a food sale at the Library Saturday afternoon. Over \$11 was realized.

C. F. Saunders and C. F. Cummings went to Portland Saturday and brought back a Diesel Engine for the Dowel Co.

Frank Howe of Randolph, Mass. was a guest of his sister, Miss Rose Howe, a few days.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Addie Saunders Thursday afternoon. There were 19 ladies present and five children including Susan Elliott, Susan Martin, Alice Elliott, Eva Hayford, Blanche Worcester, Effie Dyer, Ebba Dyke, Mabel Worcester, Georgia Abbott, Mary Burns and three children, Katherine Elliott, Muriel Hinkley, Lyle Martin, Rena Abbott, Stella and Florice Goddard, Marjorie Cummings and daughters Barbara, Ann and Carol. Mrs. Myer and the hostess. Work was begun on a quilt, following which an interesting talk on missions was given by Mrs. Myer. Refreshments were then served.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arsenault of Mexico were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Saunders Friday evening.

BRYANT'S MARKET

FRIDAY-SATURDAY

Pancy Spring	ORISCO 1b. 18c	3 lb. can 54c
LEG OF LAMB 1b. 27c	WHEATIES 2 pkgs. 23c	
Oriole Large BOLOGNA 1b. 19c	1 lb. BLUE 'G' CANDY BAR & COFFEE 23c	
FRANKFURTS 1b. 19c	A 28c Value	
CRISP OELERY boh. 11c	P & G SOAP 4 bars 15c	
THOMPSON Seedless GRAPES 2 lbs. 15c	Good Pal MARSHMALLOWS 1b. 15c	
	Good Housekeeper PAPER NAPKINS 2 pkgs. 15c	
	Kitchen Charm WAX PAPER 125 ft. roll 16c	
	2 lb. carton 17c	

I.G.A. STORES

EAST BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. George Haines met with a serious loss Saturday morning when the barn, stable and shed were destroyed by fire, together with about 60 tons of hay, all the harness and farming tools valued at over \$500.

The farming tools were under the stable and could have been saved when the people first arrived there if they had been thought of. Everyone was intent on clearing the house before the fire reached that.

All livestock and hens were saved but the fire had gained such headway before being discovered that no one could go back into the barn after the animals were removed.

Furniture, horses, cows, hens, and pigs were taken to the farm on Kimball Hill occupied this summer by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haines.

James Haines was in Lewiston Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Birchard Russell, Mrs. Ebba Dyke and Mrs. Rose Howe were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Agnes Bettinger of North-hampton, Mass. and Miss Carol Bettinger of Rochester, N. Y. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Howe.

Henry F. Howe, of West Spring-field, Mass. was a week-end visitor of John Howe and family. William W. Howe and Donald Howe of West Springfield are this week's guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Howe.

Mrs. Floribel Nevens and Lendall were Saturday night guests of Mrs. James Haines.

Charles Reed is confined to his bed as a result of over exertion at the fire Saturday morning.

Mrs. Reed Tracy and grand-daughter, Joyce Tracy, are guests of her sister, Mrs. Edgar Coolidge, and family.

Lewis Curtis is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Lester McGown, and Gail Curtis is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Marsden at South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Holman, son, and Mrs. Lennie Hutchinson were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ida Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. Cuvier Hutchinson

and daughter Ava were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reed Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Villa Valcour went to Springfield, Mass. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Faulkinham of Andover were Sunday guests of Mrs. S. B. Newton.

Miss Muriel Hall of Bethel, Miss Mary Stearns of Hanover were guests at a joint birthday party of Robert Billings and Bernard Bartlett Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Bartlett.

Homer Bartlett of Lexington, Mass. was in town Sunday and the families of Homer and Leo Bartlett, Mrs. Gladys Tyler and Mrs. Eva Swan enjoyed a reunion at Lookos Pond Sunday. Mrs. Homer Bartlett and children returned to Lexington, Mass. Sunday afternoon after spending a month with Mrs. Gladys Tyler and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bartlett and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Bean were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Graves in Rockland over the week-end.

James Billings has gone to Frye-burg where he is to pick corn.

Tracy Dorey is boarding himself at Charles Reed's.

Mrs. Floribel Nevens and son Lendall went to Bethel Sunday evening to remain for a while in the F. I. French house.

Sunday visitors at G. L. Haines' were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lapham, Mr. and Mrs. Vervon Lapham of Hanover, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blake, two children and Mr. and Mrs. Burton Abbott. Mrs. Abbott remained over night to assist her mother in straightening out the furniture, etc. which were hurriedly moved there Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haines attended the Rowe reunion at Frank Hayes' at Bryant Pond Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Haines were in Berlin Friday.



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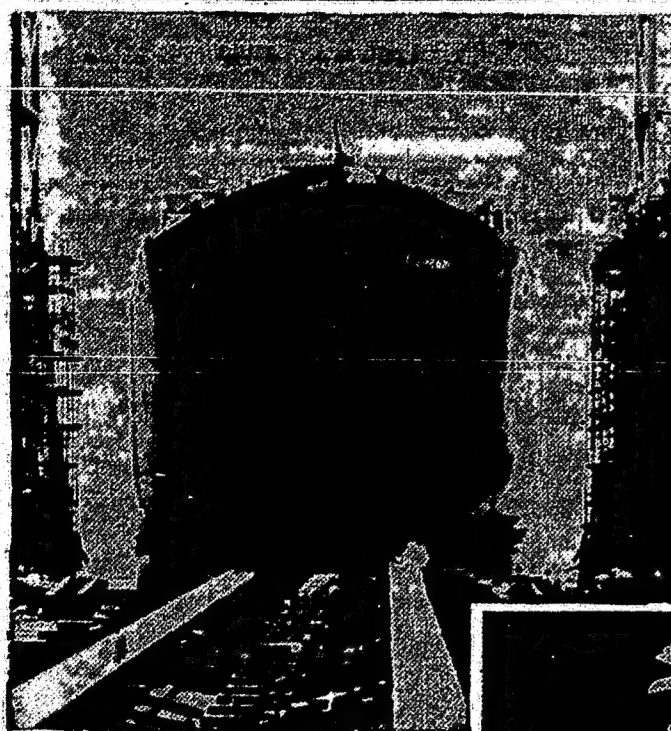
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CAMERAGRAPHS



LATEST ADDITION to American Tanker Fleet. The S.S. E. J. Henry, The Atlantic Refining Company's new 18,100-ton oil carrier, slides down the ways at Chester, Pa. The number of tankers flying the American flag has grown from less than 50 in 1914 to approximately 500 today.



A TOWER OF THE GEORGE WASHINGTON BRIDGE, 600 feet above the Hudson, is visited by Dr. Allan R. Ochoe, of Callendar, Canada, who enjoys a high view of the Port District and also of the World's Fair, accompanied, on the right, by John J. Mulcahy, Assistant General Manager of the Port Authority, and Tex O'Rourke, Adventurer and After-Dinner Speaker.



MRS. F. D. ROOSEVELT FINDS A COP WITH A HOBBY. Officer John (Jingle) Donahue writes rhymes on the back of traffic tickets he hands out to traffic violators and tells the President's wife all about it on "Hobby Lobby". Mrs. Roosevelt pinch-hit for its regular conductor, Dave Elman, on one of the program's recent Wednesday airings on NBC.



EIGHTEEN TWENTY FIVE MEETS THE WORLD OF TOMORROW. Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Arnold, dressed in 1925 period costumes, being introduced to Sir Louis Beale, Commissioner General of Great Britain, at ceremony honoring Arnold Constable Day at World's Fair. Aaron Arnold, Founder of the store in 1925, originally came from England.

SONGO POND

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stone were at her parents over the week-end. Their little daughter returned home with them after staying with her grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kimball for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Clough and

family went to Augusta Sunday to the Maine Aero Rendezvous.

Clarence Kimball has returned from Sebago where he has been working a few days.

The Edwards Reunion will be held at the Songo Lake Pavilion Sunday, Sept. 3.

George Brown has returned to A.

B. Kimball's to work.

Asa Bartlett is doing his haying at Bethel with his oxen and hauling it to the Parsons place where he recently moved.

Leslie Kimball and Hollis Grindle were in Berlin Friday.

Mrs. Maud Grindle is caring for Mrs. Curtis Winslow at Middle Intervale.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimball were in Rumford Sunday and called to see Mrs. Maud Grindle at Middle Intervale on their way home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Grindle visited Mrs. Alice Rolfe and daughters, Ruth and Arlene, Friday evening.

Mrs. Mabel Beckler is staying at the Winslow camp for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Foster spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Truman Martin at Bridgton Saturday. They went to West Scarborough to visit her son, Horace Bryant, and family Sunday morning returning home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle and son Donald were in Rumford Sunday. They returned by the way of Milton and visited relatives in Locke Mills.

SOUTH ALBANY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kimball, Lilla and Edith Stearns attended Grange meeting at Norway Monday night.

Walter Tyler is in the Norway Hospital at this writing with infection in his arm.

Mrs. Joan Hill has a position in Rockport, Mass., cooking in an inn. C. M. Fullerton is working on the road.

Leon Kimball is getting out feldspar.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Arthur Wardwell and Alice Andrews were at the airport at Augusta Sunday.

Robert and Rachel Hill will attend high school in Massachusetts this fall.

CENTER LOVELL

The annual Stearns-Russell cousin party was held in the spacious barn of the old Homestead Saturday, Aug. 26. Judge and Mrs. Blanche Russell Dallenger being hosts. After a bounteous repast the older male members of the party spent the afternoon in conversing together, while the ladies played contract bridge. The young people went for a swim in Kezar Lake. There were about 50 present.

Elmer Davis was taken to the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, Friday for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brooks, daughter, and Monte Ware have returned to their home in Vineyard, N. J., also Jane Halford has returned to New York and the Camp Mudjekeewis girls left Sunday.

Wallace Chubb from Missouri is visiting his father, Percival Chubb, at the Chubb Homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Huston and two children from Auburn called on her brothers, Farnham and Curtis Brooks, Sunday.

Mark Turner from New York is with his family at Judge Dallen-gers.

Louise Allen is caring for Mrs. Howard Allen and infant son.

Sally Sherbourn from Lexington, Mass., has been visiting her niece, Dot Helm.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Stearns and two children, Mrs. Herbert McKeen, Sarah Merrill and Mrs. Carleton Merrill called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Horr at South Paris Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodolph McAllister, Lewis McAllister and son Everett were in Lewiston Sunday to see Elmer Davis.

Tommy Sherbourn spent Sunday with his mother, Gertrude Sherbourn, at his sister's, Mrs. Gus Helm's.

EAST STONEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Edwards and Arlene Edwards of Somerville, Mass., have returned home after spending a week at camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Nelson of Iowa City, Iowa are guests of Mrs. O. G. Farrington.

Bernal McAllister has gone to Boston to enter the Deaconness Hospital for treatment for an injury received in an automobile accident about three weeks ago.

The boys and counselors of Trout Lake Camp all left for their respective homes Friday. This means our summer season is about over for

this year.

Rev. George Owen of Hyde Park, Mass., joined Mrs. Owen at Camp Margaret Sunday and will stay until Sept. 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson and son, Richard, returned to their home in Avon, Mass. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Farrington, who have been visiting friends for the past three weeks, returned to their cottage at East Stoneham, Monday.

Mrs. Sarah Brown spent the week-end at her bungalow at No. Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Files and children were in Gilead Sunday.

Kathleen Murphy, who has been working at Oxford for the summer, is at home for a few days. She is to enter the Maine General Hospital Sept. 1st, to train for a nurse.

Miss Ina Good spent the week-end in Portland.

ALBANY, VALLEY RD.

Mrs. Eva Barker and children called on Mrs. Annie Bumpus Friday afternoon.

Miss Jane Annis has been ill with the mumps.

Harry Logan and friends from Waterford attended the Maine Aero Rendezvous at Augusta Sunday.

Warren and Stanley Lapham called at Harlan Bumpus' one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keniston, of Strong, were Sunday callers at the Bumpus mine.

Mrs. Mildred Wilbur and Dick Lawrence spent Friday evening at Mrs. Carrie Logan's.

Arthur Hazelton, Joe Payne and Herbert Kittredge attended the movies at Bridgton Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hall of Freeport spent the week-end at their camp here.

John Adams was at Ben Inman's Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Morrison were Sunday callers at her mother's, Mrs. Jean Annis'.

Arthur Hazelton took Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lapham, Miss Myrtle Lapham and Stanley Lapham to the Maine Aero Rendezvous at Augusta Sunday.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 31, 1939

40 YEARS AGO in the NEWS

August 30, 1909

J. A. Thurston is doing a lively
business at his mill at Swan's Cor-
ner. He has given employment to
20 men most of the time during
the past year. His principal busi-
ness is manufacturing dowels,
spool stock, novelty turnings and
hardwood shooks.

Dr. Gardiner L. Sturtevant of
Fryeburg will open an office in
Bethel in a few weeks.

F. B. Howe has finished the new
schoolhouses, and we are pleased
to note that the work has been
done in a most satisfactory man-
ner. Middle Intervale and North-
west Bethel now have two of the
best schoolhouses in town.

GROVER HILL

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jordan and
daughter, Eleanor, from Mechanic
Falls were Sunday guests at M. F.
Tyler's.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Andrews
and Philip Wight Jr. from Norway
were entertained by Mr. and Mrs.
B. B. Whitman, Sunday.

Mrs. Constance D. Algor, Bronx-
ville, N. Y. has been a recent guest
at N. A. Stearns'.

True Brown is making extensive
repairs on his home. John Hazelton
and S. H. Browne have been em-
ployed there.

Roy Andrews and family from
Gorham, N. H. were Sunday dinner
guests at C. L. Whitman's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Davis of West
Paris called at N. A. Stearns', Sun-
day afternoon.

Mrs. Burton Abbott spent Satur-
day and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.
George Haines, her parents, who
suffered a serious loss by fire, Sat-
urday morning.

Marie Mills from Bethel Hill has
been the guest of her grandmother,
Mrs. P. A. Mundt.

MIDDLE INTERVALE

Mrs. Lawrence Kimball, who has
been chief swimming counselor at
a girls' camp in Jefferson, Maine,
has returned home for a few weeks.

Oliver Fales has gone to Free-
port, where he is doing some car-
penter work for friends.

Carey Stevens and Ben Kimball
are working for Ernest Buck on his
house.

Mrs. Furlis Winslow's mother is
caring for her during her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Buck and
family spent the week-end with his
mother, Mrs. Leona Buck, on
Swan's Hill.

Rev. and Mrs. William T. Green
and Harold Green were in Berlin
Saturday.

The Middle Intervale Farm Bu-
reau met Wednesday with Mrs.
Ward for their annual flower show.
The exhibits were judged by vote
of the members. There were five

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classes: children's bouquets, mini-
ature bouquets, wild flowers, bou-
quets in large containers and any
kind of bouquet. Miss Mabel Ab-
bott and Mrs. Fannie Carter had
charge of the flowers. Several
guests were present.

The last service for the summer
at the old church will be held this
Sunday at 11 a. m.

Harold Green spent Wednesday
in South Paris and vicinity.

The Law of Lek
The Law of Lek is a strange joke
that governs the blood feuds of the
mountaineers of Albania. Respec-
ting it, says Collier's Weekly, one
never shoots his enemy when the
man has arranged for a period of
truce so he can go to town, hold
a party or gather his harvest.
These feuds, therefore, may be
"turned on or off" at will so they
will not interfere with one's busi-
ness or pleasure.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD LABOR DAY



Shoot holiday fun "on the wing."
Don't let subjects pose—and you
will get gay, lively snapshots.

LABOR DAY weekend is the last
big outdoor holiday of summer.
For most of us, it means a trip, a
week-end camp, or other special
jaunt—and plenty of pictures, to re-
mind us of summer fun during the
coming winter months.

Is your camera ready? And have
you made your Labor Day plans with
a view to picture chances? That's
always a good idea when you're
planning an excursion—keep the
camera in mind, and select a tour
route, or holiday spot, that you know
is full of picture opportunities.

The more fun and activity you
can pack into the week-end, the more
snapshot chances you'll have. Where-
ver something is going on, your
camera should be ready for action.
A roasting-ear picnic, an amuse-
ment-park tour, a fishing trip, a
mountain hike—all these are chuck-
full of picture material if you just
keep your eyes open and your cam-
era ready.

On a picnic, picture your crowd set-
tling the table and eating—don't wait
until they get through. At the pool,
or the beach, picture them swim-
ming and diving, or enjoying some
other beach sport—not posed on
shore.

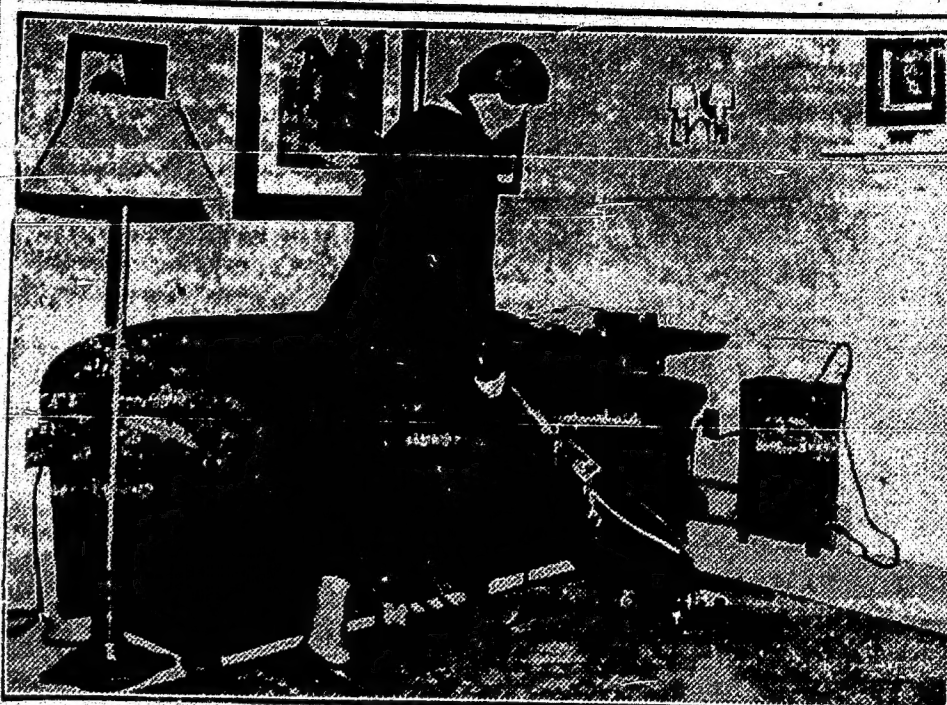
Watch your exposures, and keep
them "in step" with the prevailing
light. Along shady streams, there is
very little light, so you must use a
large lens opening and a slow shut-
ter speed. But on the beach, or when

fishing offshore, light is bright and
intense—and exposures of 1/50 sec-
ond at f.11, f.16, and sometimes even
f.22 are correct.

When in doubt about exposure, err
on the "full" side. Correct exposure
is best, but an overexposed film
will usually yield a better print than
an underexposed film. Good modern
films, especially the "chrome" type,
have enough latitude to take care of
reasonable errors in judging ex-
posure.

So, here's luck. It looks like a
great week-end, and I hope you keep
your camera as busy as mine will be.
John van Guilder

An Electric Vacuum Cleaner Is a Year-Round Necessity



Vacuum cleaning rugs once a week adds to their life and appearance.

By IRA MILLER
Rural Electrification Bureau

WINTER, fall, spring or summer,
the problem of tracked-in sand
and grit on the rugs and carpets al-
ways is with the housewife, especially
on the farm. For, no matter how
much care they exercise in cleaning
their shoes, the various members of
the family carry in a surprisingly
large amount of dirt in a surprisingly
short time. And, apart from the dull
and dingy appearance it gives to the
rugs and carpets, this dirt greatly
shortens their life by cutting the nap
and thus causing worn spots to ap-
pear.

Although most of the surface dirt
can be removed with a broom or
carpet sweeper, the sharp particles
of sand and grit—which become
imbedded at the roots of the nap and,
therefore, do the most damage—are
not so dislodged. That only can be
done, as in the old-fashioned way,
by hanging it on a clothesline or
laying it on the grass and beating it
with a bamboo or steel beater. Or, as
in the modern electrified home, by
using a vacuum cleaner which pro-
duces only minor wear in comparison
with that of normal use.

Those who contemplate buying a

vacuum cleaner for the first time, or
who are thinking of replacing their
old machine with a more modern and
efficient one, should not be guided by
price alone. For, in general, initial
cost is no indication of the efficiency
and durability of the machine. In fact,
the length of time necessary for effi-
cient cleaning probably is a better
buying criterion.

To obtain the best results with any
machine, certain precautions must be
observed: The cleaner should be
operated at a speed of 1.00 to 1.25 feet
per second; the nozzle should be ad-
justed to give good vibration of the
rug; and the bag should be emptied
after each use of the machine, and
thoroughly brushed (inside as well as
out) at least once or twice a month.
The latter is most important to ef-
fective cleaning.

The price of the average vacuum
cleaner ranges from \$30 to \$50, with
de luxe models selling up to \$80. Even
the most expensive vacuum cleaners,
if used fifty times a year and assum-
ing a life of but ten years, will cost
only about 24 cents a week—two cents
for electricity and the balance for
the machine (depreciation, interest
and repairs). On the same basis, an
average-priced machine will cost
approximately 12 cents per week.

The Jefferson Bible
The Jefferson Bible is a compila-
tion made by Thomas Jefferson of
passages from the four gospels cut
out and pasted in a book according
to a scheme of his own. Jefferson
began this work about the year
1804, while he was President. He
bought two English Bibles and com-
piled a book of 46 pages, using all
the words attributed to Jesus, as
well as some other passages closely
in accord with His words. About
1819 Jefferson completed the work
by doing the same with Testaments
in Greek, Latin and French, desig-
nating the complete work "The Life
and Morals of Jesus of Nazareth."
He used two maps in the volume,
one of Palestine and another of the
ancient world. The original book
is in the National museum at Wash-
ington.

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The Oil Burner that means
economy, with service behind
it. Let us quote installed prices.

Heating and Plumbing

Also Mill Work as Usual

H. ALTON BACON
BRYANT POND, MAINE

CALENDARS Advertising Novelties

If you are interested in an attractive ad-
vertising calendar for 1940 it will be to your interest
to inspect the line of samples which we have on
display. There is ample variety in design, quality
and price to meet the average need, and we can
fill any demand not covered in the line we are
showing. Many beautiful pictures are offered in
these items. We can also supply thermometer and
mirror calendars, bumper signs, paraffin signs,
asbestos mats, or any printed novelty. Get our
prices before ordering elsewhere.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

The Ladies' Club will hold a special meeting at the Chapel next Thursday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson and family and Miss Eugenia Haselton were in Bath Sunday visiting Mrs. Charles Sprague.

Rev. and Mrs. M. A. Gordon and daughter Rachel have been spending a week visiting relatives in Franklin, N. H.

Olin K. Dodge of Greenville is spending some time with his cousin, Mrs. Carl Brown, and family, and is working in the Citizen office.

The first meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce after the summer recess will be held at the Legion Rooms Tuesday evening, Sept. 12.

Dana G. Brooks will enter Bryant & Stratton Business College in Boston Tuesday, where he is enrolled in the business administration course.

Miss Alzena Lord accompanied by Miss Elaine Vall of North Newry is spending this week with Mrs. Frank Vall at Rosebuck Camps, Wilson's Mills.

Mrs. Philip Daye was in Togus Wednesday to visit her husband, who is a patient at the Veterans' Hospital there. Mr. Daye is as comfortable as could be expected considering his condition.

Leslie Poore was guest of honor at a birthday picnic party at Screw Auger Falls Monday. Those present besides Mr. Poore were Mrs. Bernice Spearin, Mrs. Elsie Potter, Miss Arline Potter and Dwight Morrill.

Kenneth Williams of Woburn, Mass., spent the week-end in town with his family at W. F. Clark's. Mr. and Mrs. Williams and family are at the Williams farm in Jay this week and will return to their home in Woburn Tuesday.

Miss Alice Brown of Worcester, Mass., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown. Miss Brown has recently returned from a trans-continental trip, on which she was accompanied by Miss Charlotte Storey of Lowell, Mass. Among places of interest they visited were Yellowstone National Park, Teton National Park, Glacier National Park, Lake Louise and Banff in Canada, Mount Ranier in Washington and the Rocky National Park, which was of particular interest because four miles of its highway is over 12,000 feet elevation. The trip of 9,700 miles was made by automobile and the only difficulties they had were two flat tires.

Miss Margaret Gallant is visiting friends in Frye for a few days.

Mrs. William L. Caldwell of Oxford has been visiting relatives in town.

Oscar Casey and Harry Turner of Buckfield called on C. A. Austin Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Littlehale of Rockland is the guest of Mrs. Tena Thurston this week.

Miss Elaine Warren has entered the Training School at the C. M. G. Hospital.

J. B. Chapman and daughter Mary Lou were in Portland on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Floribel Nevens and son Lendall have returned to their home in town.

Mrs. Andrew Cate of Berlin was a week-end guest of her sister Mrs. Fred Hamlin.

Irene Wight is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Richard Verville at Haverhill, Mass., for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frost of Kingfield spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn.

Monday, Harry E. Mason entered the Maine General Hospital in Portland for observation.

Mr. and Mrs. David Burnham of North Andover, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bean.

Mrs. Sarah King is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harriet H. Green at West Ossipee, N. H., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bryant left today to visit their cousin, Elmer Gerald in Fairfield, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ordell Anderson and family are occupying the former Hamlin house on Church Street.

Miss Barbara Ann Davis of Wollaston, Mass., is a guest this week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Tibbetts.

Mrs. John Travers and daughter Beverly of Errol have been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. F. I. French.

Miss Francine Warren returned Wednesday after spending a few days with Miss Margaret Moore in Rumford.

All members of the Eastern Star are urged to be present at a meeting to be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Donald Stanley and infant daughter, Dawn Lee, returned Saturday from the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Drummond returned Monday night after spending several weeks with relatives in South Portland.

Mrs. Gertrude Durkee has returned to her home in Springfield Mo., after spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Daniel Durell.

JIMMIE LYNCH INVENTS NEW THRILLS



JIMMIE LYNCH and his Death Dodgers, invading New England for the first time, will be a feature attraction at the Eastern States Exposition in Springfield, Mass., for a five-day circus of death each afternoon at the grandstand from Sunday, Sept. 17, to Thursday, Sept. 21, inclusive. Every thrill stunt known to the automotive world will be presented by Lynch and his daring associates in their death defying leaps, jumps, dashes and crashes of stock automobiles.

Miss Peggy Hanscom has returned from Wanock Girls' Camp at Jefferson, where she has been the past two months.

Mrs. Sabra McAllister of Bryant Pond spent Monday with her aunt, Mrs. I. M. Kenerson at the home of G. N. Sanborn.

Miss Irene Day returned to her home in Lynn, Mass., Sunday after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias S. Robinson have returned to their home in Wakefield, Mass., after spending the summer months in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hastings have been obliged to return to their home in Dorchester, Mass., because of the illness of their son.

Miss Kathryn Meagher of Philadelphia and Portsmouth, N. H., is the guest of Miss Rebecca Gordon at the home of Mrs. Custer Quimby this week.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Flu were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wheeler, Mrs. Nellie Walker and Robert Bruce, all of Amesbury, Mass.

Miss Phyllis Davis is enjoying a two weeks vacation from her duties at the Deaconess Hospital, Boston, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis.

Friends of Perley Andrews are glad to learn that he able to be back at his work at Bethel Inn after an absence of several months because of illness.

Guests of Mrs. H. I. Bean this week at Camp Lacrook are Alice Bean, David Bean, and Janice Milliken of Old Orchard Beach and Roland Jones of Auburn.

Carl and Carolyn Wight left Sunday for Thomaston, Conn., where they will visit Dr. Winfield Wight. While there, they will visit the World's Fair in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gill are spending a ten day vacation with relatives in New Bedford, Mass. They will spend a few days in New York attending the World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Spence of Brooklyn, N. Y., who have been visiting Mrs. Spence's sisters, Mrs. Frank Bartlett and Mrs. Herbert Tift, returned home on Saturday.

Monday evening, 29 neighbors gathered at Mrs. Rena Foster's cottage, where they were entertained by moving pictures shown by Ralph S. Hall of East Milton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Richards and children, Clayton, Beverly and Otis of Bath, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Fuller. Beverly remained for a week's visit with the Fullers.

Betty's Butter and Egg Man

By MAY EVANS

(Associated Newspapers.)

WNU Service.

IN SPITE of the fact she had more freckles than any other girl in Richland county, Betty Moore possessed a romantic soul. She day-dreamed as she went up the lane to call the cows, and she day-dreamed every time she walked down the peony-bordered path to the rural delivery post box beside the dusty road.

When Mr. Moore finally installed a radio in the kitchen-dining-sitting room of the old farmhouse, Betty day-dreamed as she listened to the music and cooked for the household.

Kate Moore, Betty's sister, was as pretty as Betty was plain. However, Kate, like Betty, was a dreamer, though Kate did precious little work as she dreamed.

Most of all, Kate dreamed when she went to the village in the rattling family flivver. She dreamed that the through train had broken down, and some great movie magnate who had been forced to stop in Richland Junction would see her passing, and being instantly attracted to her type, beg her to accept a fabulous salary.

Dreams, as every one knows, do come true—sometimes, and on the day that Mr. Moore discovered the barn mice had gnawed right through the heart of his last big roll of binder twine, and Betty volunteered to drive to town for a new supply, the dream distributor made one of his mistakes. He sent a famous movie director sauntering along Main street while his private car stood on the Richland Junction siding, waiting for a special train to pass.

Betty, coming out of the Junction's general store, her arms piled high with packages, binder twine, fresh bananas, raisins, powdered sugar, birdseed and bacon, collided with the smartly dressed, tired-eyed stranger.

"I'm sorry," apologized the man, as he stooped and picked up the sack of powdered sugar, which had split open when it struck the sidewalk. "I'll get you another."

"Don't bother," replied Betty. "I've got to hurry home with this binder twine. Dad is waiting for it."

"Sometimes there's money in not being so much in a hurry," said the stranger.

Betty's face flushed beneath the freckles.

"As a matter of fact," continued the man, "you are just the type I

want to work into a few local-color rural scenes I'm planning to shoot upstate. Those freckles of yours ought to register like a house afire. How about \$500 for a week's trip?"

Suddenly Kate Moore went about the tasks which usually the patient Betty performed. "It just doesn't seem fair for me to be slaving away in this hot kitchen while Betty stays away getting \$500 a week for five weeks for doing nothing."

"A thousand dollars is a nice piece of money," remarked Mr. Moore. "Betty told me she wanted the money to help fix up the old house on Tom's farm."

"Humph," sniffed Kate. "Let her get a taste of life with a movie outfit, and see how quick she forgets Tom."

Just two weeks from the day Betty Moore left Richland Junction, a tall, tanned young man in faded khaki paced up and down the station platform, a look of anxiety on his face. Betty was young—would her head be turned by the small fortune she had earned with her freckles?

"Well, of all the simpletons!" greeted Kate, as Betty entered the door of the Moore farmhouse, the tall, tanned Tom at her heels. "Here you got a real chance in the movies with one of the most important directors in the country and you haven't sense enough to make him take you on to Hollywood and give you a real job!"

"Mr. De Lam told me he thought I was the smartest girl he had ever known when I said I was going to take my thousand dollars and go straight home," cheerfully replied Betty.

"I'd like to know why," exclaimed Kate in astonishment. "Likely as not you would have caught on out west and landed some big butter-and-egg man instead of having to settle down in the sticks with Tom."

Tom grinned cheerfully as Betty smiled up in his face and said, "I should worry about catching on out west when I'm so popular at home. I'm going to buy a rose pink sink and rose pink mixing-bowls and rose pink glass dishes and rose pink tablecloths, and have an electric motor to pump water into the house. And Tom is going to build me some lots bigger hen-houses so I can have bigger flocks, and he is going to stop shipping cream to the city, and let me churn it instead, and I'm to have every penny of the butter and egg money."

A kindly smile puckering the corners of his mouth and making little crinkly wrinkles about his eyes, Mr. Moore said, "Looks as though Betty had landed a pretty good butter-and-egg man right here in Richland Junction."

TRUTH about ADVERTISING

By CHARLES B. ROTH

ADVERTISING'S NO MYSTERY

SOME of us remember well when John Slattery started in business. He couldn't have been over 25 and he had only a few hundred dollars in capital. But he did have a wife and two fine boys. He wanted to make them comfortable. He quit his job, went in on his own.

At first he would come to us and in his frank, likable way ask if we would buy from him. We liked John. It flattered us to have him invite us to become his customers. We began trading with him.

He treated us so considerately and so honestly; he gave us such good service; he was so grateful for our patronage, that we enjoyed being his customers. It made us feel good. Others felt the same way. His business grew.

Then he began asking more people to trade with him than he could reach in person. He had to run small advertisements in the newspaper, which he wrote himself after store hours.

As he grew larger he ran larger advertisements, and where in the beginning he had a handful of customers, now he had several hundred.



Charles Roth

He continued to advertise in the newspaper. His business continued to grow. He couldn't know all his customers by name now, of course, but they felt that they could buy from him with confidence because he had been recommended to them by another friend whom they had always trusted.

This other friend who recommended John Slattery was the newspaper which carried his advertising.

Whatever you read in the newspaper you naturally feel you can believe, because you know that a reputable newspaper will not accept advertising from any but honest and reliable concerns.

Because this young man starting in business made use of that aid he built his business. As his business grew he was able to give his customers better service and more for their money.

Although few of the persons reading his advertisements and becoming his customers realized it, they were all indebted to the newspaper for its service in bringing to their attention an opportunity of getting more for their money by publishing advertisements of this enterprising young man.

Advertising is serving us in this same way every day, by bringing information of where we can buy most advantageously, by helping us to find what we want at the lowest possible prices.

© Charles B. Roth.

BRYANT POND

Sunday, Aug. 27, was an ideal day for the Universalist Grove Meeting held at Dearborn's Grove. Rev. Warren B. Lovejoy of West Somerville, Mass., was the speaker at the forenoon service and Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes of the First Universalist Church of West Paris spoke in the afternoon. Music was rendered by the West Paris choir, Walter Enman, and Reynold Chase. Picnic lunch was enjoyed in the Grove. There was a good attendance.

The Noyes Reunion was held at the home of Harry F. Noyes at Oxford Sunday. Several members of the Noyes family from here attended.

Mrs. Carl G. Dudley was ill last week. Mrs. Homer Farnum assisted in the store.

Homer Farnum's family and Mrs. Inez Whitman and daughters, Edith and Clara, called on Mrs. Bessie Ring and family Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Uptergrove, of Rochester, N. Y., are visitors of her cousin, Mrs. Frank Hayes.

Miss Marjorie Fuller spent last week with her cousin, Mrs. Everett Blake in Berlin.

Miss Arlene Swan was operated on for removal of tonsils at Dr. Corliss' home at West Paris Monday.

Leon Chase and sister Joan of Rumford, and their friends were callers Saturday night at the home of Mrs. Inez Whitman and family. Theodore Chase of Rumford was a week-end visitor there.

Otis Evans returned home Saturday night from Weld, where he has been employed in a Boys' Camp. Mr. and Mrs. Porter Swan and children went after him.

WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. Walter Brown called on Mrs. Alden Wilson Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Toby Barker and children called on Paul Croteau and family Thursday evening.

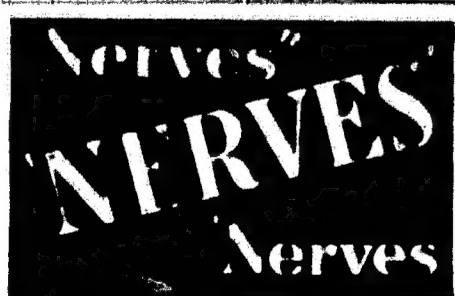
Mrs. Walter Brown and Mrs. Alden Wilson and children were in Rumford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Winslow, son Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Croteau and sons were in Norway and Harrison Saturday afternoon.

Bobby Raimcy, who has been spending the summer with his father and grandmother has returned to Dorchester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Banks, nephew, Ralph Banks, and friends of Portland spent Sunday at J. F. Harrington's farm.

Harry Carter and daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Carter Sunday.



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"Did the work"
says
Miss Givner
WHY DON'T
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SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Nina Steves of Hartland has been a guest the past week of Mrs. Jessie Andrews and other friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis in company with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cushman and little daughter of Auburn, spent the week-end at Rangeley Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Davis were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of her uncle, N. A. Stearns, and family, Grover Hill, Bethel.

Callers Monday at the home of A. M. Andrews were Mrs. Frank Curtis and daughter of Guildhall, Vt., and Mrs. Eva Titus of South Paris.

The South Paris Street Boarding House class reunion was held with Mrs. Jessie Jackson Andrews at her home here Aug. 29. Those present were Mrs. John White, Mrs. Cora White Twitchell, Mrs. Bertha White Clifford, Mrs. Lilla Young McAllister of South Paris; Miss Agnes Grey, Mrs. Evelyn Grey, West Paris; and Mrs. Nina Felton Steves of Hartland.

Frank Andrews, A. M. Andrews, O. W. Robbins and John Titus with H. M. Andrews were on a motor trip Monday to Rangeley Lakes and other points of interest.

Mrs. Harlan Andrews and guest, Mrs. Nina Steves, were recent callers at the home of Mrs. Steves' brother, Leon Felton, at Bridgton.

Stanley Franklin Barrett This community was deeply saddened on Monday to learn of the passing of Stanley Franklin Barrett.

He had been ill since last Friday and on Monday he was taken to the Rumford Community Hospital, where he passed away at five o'clock, following an operation.

Stanley was the only son of Joseph and Evelyn Coffin Barrett and was born in Bryant Pond on May 7, 1929. He would have entered the fifth grade at Union School this fall. He was a seven point pupil and had not missed a day of school or been tardy for three years. He was full of sunny disposition with a cheerful smile for everyone and was a member of the Juvenile Grange at West Paris.

Besides his parents he leaves to mourn his passing, a grandmother, Mrs. G. W. Barrett, Rumford; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coffin, Bryant Pond; uncles, aunts and several cousins.

Funeral services were held at Andrews Funeral Home on Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes officiated.

WEST PARIS

Several family reunions were held Sunday and families attended. Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Ring, Wendall Ring, Mrs. Glendine Collette and daughter Patricia went to James Ring's at Locke Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Benson attended a family gathering at Walter Appleby's, Woodstock; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gammon, Ernest Gammon and Clayton Gammon attended a family reunion at North Stoneham.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard T. Chase were guests of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stearns, of Hebron at their summer home in Rangeley over Sunday.

LOCKE MILLS

Robert and Edith Kenniston of West Paris are visiting relatives for a few days.

Miss Hazel Salls is at Five Islands for a week.

Mary Dorion is visiting relatives at Andover.

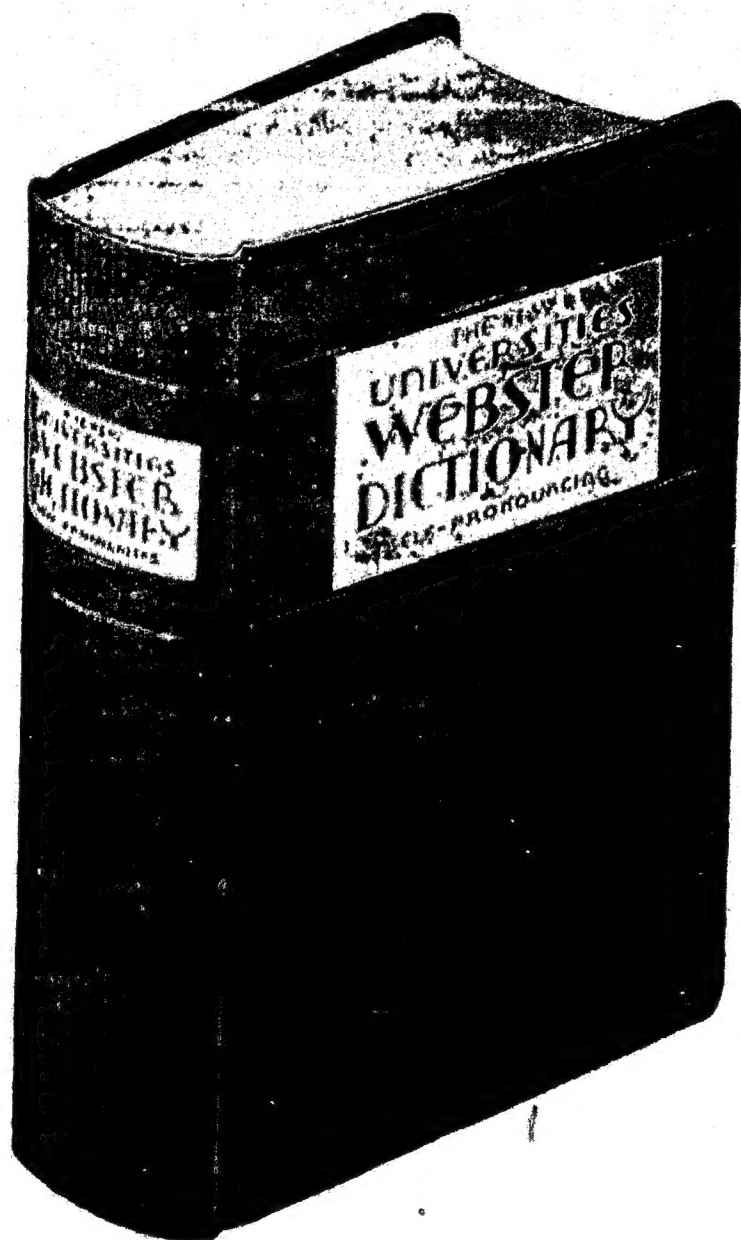
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STATE OF MAINE
To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Rumford in and for the County of Oxford, on the fourth Tuesday of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, from day to day from the fourth Tuesday of said August. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen, a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the third Tuesday of September, A. D. 1939, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Charles H. Cole, late of Gilead, deceased; Will and Petition for the appointment of Russell Cole and Shirley M. Cole as Administrators with the Will annexed, without bond, presented by Russell Cole and Shirley M. Cole, Son and Daughter.

Hersey E. Fernald, late of Bethel, deceased; Twelfth trust account presented for allowance by Ellery C. Park, trustee.

John E. Morse, late of Hanover, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Edna G. Morse as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Edna G. Morse, the executrix therein named.

Lucetta B. Pierce, late of Woodstock, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Francis A. Bean, executor.

William J. Upson, late of Bethel, deceased; Fifth account presented for allowance by Nina H. Upson, administratrix.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Rumford this fourth Tuesday of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.
37 EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Exr. of the estate of Fred E. Gordon late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

GERARD S. WILLIAMS
Bethel, Maine

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ROWE HILL

Albert Ring and Wilmer Bryant are cutting bushes on the town road.

Camp Sebowisha closed its 13th season Monday. Many of the girls entertained their parents at the camp over the week-end.

Mrs. Albert Felt has been papering for Mrs. Mont Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom, also Lester Cole and family were at E. L. Dunham's Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ring and family visited at N. A. Bryant's Sunday. Mrs. Ring remained for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Lang and son Merl were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom Sunday.

Winnie Hanscom was in Norway Monday.

WEST BETHEL

Miss Esther Mason spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mason.

Mrs. Arthur Frost and son Kenneth from Dixfield called on Mrs. Cleve Bell one day last week.

The friends of Mrs. Ithial Kenerson, who broke her hip two weeks ago, will be pleased to know she is very comfortable at the home of her son, G. N. Sanborn, in Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burris, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland, daughter Mary, and Mrs. Clara Abbott were in Augusta Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Morrill of Norway were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovejoy Sunday.

Members of the Union Chapel Choir sang at the Gilead church services last Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Seabury of Worcester, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Althea Whitman.

Tommie Hayes of Gilead has been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennett.

Mrs. Joseph Perry spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Harland Shaw at Paris Hill.

Ithial Kenerson is being cared for at the home of his sister, Mrs. Arthur Frost, in Dixfield.

UPTON

Rev. Earl Greenlaw of Mansfield, Mass., supplied the pulpit Sunday. He is candidating for this Parish. Mrs. Flora Cummings of Oxford is the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. L. Judkins.

Miss Helen Abbott of New York City has returned to her work, after spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Cora Abbott.

James Barnett, son Gordon, and Howard Douglass of this town, with Harry Little of Errol, N. H., are attending the World's Fair this week.

Deputy Davis attended the regular Grange meeting Friday evening. Discussion of the European question was carried on among the men.

The Young People under the direction of Mr. Manter and Mr. Kreuner are rehearsing for a play, "The Path Across the Hill" to be given Friday evening.

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Miss Belle Holt and Mrs. Mabel McKay of Norway visited friends in town Tuesday.

M. F. Roberts, Dept. Shop Inspector, of the Bartlett Central Repair, Bartlett, N. H., was a business visitor in town Monday.

Mrs. Albertena Burgess and Miss Doris Porter of Berlin were guests of Mrs. Florence Holden Sunday. Mrs. Nellie Gross of West Paris was a recent guest of Mrs. Harriette Flisette.

Edward Witter has returned to South America after spending his vacation at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Corey of Norway spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wight.

Mrs. Florence Holden and son Clayton were in Bartlett, N. H., Friday.

Miss Shirley Cole entertained friends from Camp Hinawa Monday. The party included Mrs. Elizabeth Spear, Portland; Miss Constance Blake, Brockton, Mass.; Miss Ruth E. Smith, Boston, and Miss Marguerite Shaw of South Paris. Miss Shaw is remaining for a few days.

Douglass Daniels returned to New York Saturday after spending his vacation at his home here.

Miss Ellen Peabody has completed her duties at the Evans Notch Lodge.

Mrs. Beatrice Noyes of Gorham, N. H., was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Marion Cole.

Rupert Potter returned to his home in Strong Sunday after spending the summer with his uncle, Russell Cole, at the Evans Notch Lodge.

Mrs. Josephine Cole of Gray was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Leighton.

John McBride was in Gorham, N. H., Saturday.

NORTH NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Blake are spending the week in Boston. Miss Amy Bennett and Miss Virginia Blake accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vail and a group of young people spent Sunday at Songo Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Hanscom had for company Sunday Mrs. Robert Cole, Misses Hazel and Ruth Hanscom, all of Locke Mills.

The Church Circle served a baked bean and pastry supper to the Men's Club Thursday night. The supper was served out of doors at the home of Mrs. Fred Wight.

Rodney Hanscom has gone to West Bethel to work.

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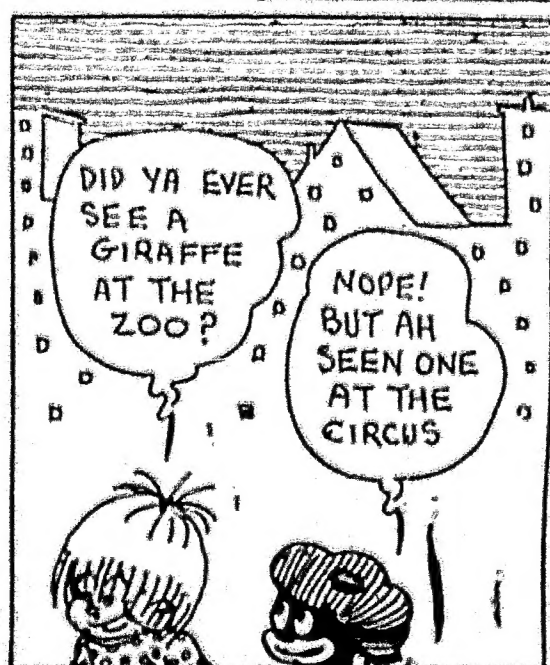
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MRS. JULIAETTE F. CURTIS

Mrs. Juliaette F. Curtis, widow of Hannibal Curtis, died Tuesday at the Odd Fellows Home in Auburn, where she had been an inmate for the past eight years.

She was the daughter of Simon and Ruth Chase Fickett and was born in Woodstock June 12, 1850. Relatives surviving are a niece, Mrs. Lottie Curtis; a grand-niece, Mrs. Marion Mayhew; and a grand-nephew, Harold Fickett of Rumford.

She was a member of Onward Rebekah Lodge and Granite Chapter, O. E. S. She attended the Universalist Church when a resident of West Paris, where nearly all of her life has been spent.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at two o'clock at the First Universalist Church. Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes will officiate. Interment will be in Wayside Cemetery, West Paris.

IRENE THELMA YATES

Irene Thelma, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenwood Yates, died at the C. M. G. Hospital Wednesday, Aug. 23, where she was taken for oxygen treatment from the nursing home of Mrs. Roy Perham, aged one day. The baby weighed 1 1/2 pounds at birth.

Prayer service was held at Wayside Cemetery Thursday afternoon at one o'clock. Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes officiated.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, September 3

THE GREGGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister
11.00 a. m. Morning worship.
Sermon subject, "Work and Labor."
A very cordial welcome to our summer guests.
Junior Choir rehearsal Saturday evening 6.30.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. M. A. Gordon, Pastor
9.45 Church School. Mrs. Myrtle Lapham, superintendent. Study God's word for a few minutes each Sunday.

11.00 Sunday Morning Worship. Special singing by Choir. John Anderson, leader. Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist. Labor Day sermon subject, "The Battle for Bread."

6.30 Epworth League. Church School picnic Labor Day at Sandy Beach.

Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do we even so to them; for this is the law and the prophets. Matt. 7:12.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Services Sunday morning at 10:45. "Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Sept. 3.

The Golden Text is: "God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him" (Genesis 1: 27).

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth" (Genesis 1: 26). The Lesson-Sermon also includes passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

UNION CHAPEL, WEST BETHEL

Orrin A. Manifold, Minister

Sunday will mark the last regular services of the summer season at Union Chapel. The sacraments of baptism and communion will be administered at the 11:00 o'clock service. Several children will be presented for baptism. The minister's subject will be "The Gates of the Temple." There will be a business meeting of the Church in the church parlor at 10:30, preceding the morning service.

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Mr. Manifold will preach his farewell sermon Sunday night at 7:30. Following the service there will be a fellowship hour of games in the Church parlor for the young people. The following day Mr. Manifold will leave West Bethel for a brief visit with his parents in Indiana before he begins his third and final year of studies at the Boston University School of Theology.

BIRTHS

In Lovell, Aug. 21, to the wife of Howard Allen, a son.

In West Paris, Aug. 22, to the wife of Glenwood Yates, a daughter, Irene Thelma.

In Conway, N. H., Aug. 25, to the wife of Kenneth Merrill of Lovell, a daughter.

MARRIAGES
In Fryeburg, Aug. 16, by Rev. Wilfred G. Rice, Thomas W. Vashaw and Mrs. Elizabeth Flanders, both of Bethel.

DEATHS
In Bethel, Aug. 26, Elizabeth A. Hatstat of Albany, aged 8 months.

In Rumford, Aug. 28, Stanley Franklin Barrett of Woodstock, aged 10 years.

In Auburn, Aug. 29, Mrs. Juliaette F. Curtis, widow of Hannibal Curtis, of West Paris, aged 89 years.

In Lewiston, Aug. 23, Irene Thelma Yates, aged 1 day.

ELIZABETH A. HATSTAT

Elizabeth A. Hatstat passed away at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Saunders Saturday morning.

She was born in Albany, Dec. 21, 1938, the daughter of Ralph E. and Blanche Kimball Hatstat.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at two o'clock at Greenleaf's funeral home. Rev. H. T. Wallace spoke words of comfort to the bereaved family. Burial was in Albany.

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Oxford County Fair will again hold the enviable position as the leading fair in the State for Grange, Boy Scouts, 4-H Clubs and individual exhibits. With every available inch of space reserved in the Exhibition Hall by four Granges and a juvenile Grange, the Boy Scouts, and 4-H Clubs of Oxford County, as well as individual exhibitors of vegetables and farm products raised this season, dairy products, canned goods, fruits, needlework, quilts, rugs, paintings and novelty collections, assures this fact.

Charles W. Bowker, who is observing his 25th year as superintendent of the Exhibition Hall, has made a special effort to make the exhibition one that will be recorded as the best in the history of the fair. In arranging the space and displays Mr. Bowker has been assisted by Elmore C. Edmunds, who was appointed to the Board of Trustees this year.

These two men are reviving a custom that was popular at Oxford County Fair a number of years ago, and that is to have the Exhibition Hall open until 10.30 each evening of the fair. This will provide an opportunity to patrons, who are unable to attend the fair during the day time, to see the best that is grown and made in Oxford County.

Secretary Sidney F. Verrill has arranged for an educational exhibit that should prove of interest to every adult and child that attends the fair. One of the buildings near the Exhibition Hall has been set aside for the White Mountain National Forest exhibition. A modern fire fighting engine equipped with material for 50 men will be stationed outside of the building. Inside of the building will be Forest Rangers to explain the methods used by the Forest Service in its fire prevention, detection and suppression. Illustrations and maps will be used to give a graphic picture of the splendid work that is being done to preserve as nearly as possible the natural environment of the 887,377 acres that make up the White Mountain National Forest in Maine and New Hampshire.

RING FAMILY REUNION

The Ring family held their reunion Sunday at the home of James Ring, Locke Mills. There were 53 present.

Officers were elected as follows: president, Mrs. Iva Packard; vice-president, James Ring; secretary and treasurer, Estella Ring.

A memorial service was held for Cyrus Hazelton, Kate Hazelton, Wesley Ring and Sidney Ring, who died during the past year.

The program was as follows:

Vocal solo, Miss Ada Dunn, Norway
Reading, Priscilla Ring
Tap dance, Misses Sheryl and Beryl Ring, West Paris
Vocal duet,

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ring,
Duet, Mrs. Ethel Dunn and Mrs. Minnie Herrick, Norway
Reading, Mrs. Florence Ring
Vocal solo,

Daniel Ring, South Paris
The next reunion will be held with Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ring, North Waterford.

Mrs. Elmer Bean is employed as waitress at Maple Inn.

OXFORD COUNTY
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THE PAST WEEK:

Sunday, James Martin of Yale Divinity School, as our guest preacher, conducted the service at North Waterford.

The Sunday evening sunset service was held on the Pike Farm overlooking Bear Pond. This service was held jointly with the churches of Bridgton. Rev. Hilda Ives was guest speaker and delivered a very inspiring message based upon her experiences at the Madras Conference.

Monday: This day saw the departure of Mr. Bull and eight of our young people for Camp Manitou in Washington, Maine. This conference is held to provide instruction, inspiration, and fellowship for young people. Those to go from the parish were George and Henry Fox of Lovell, Harriet Grover and Gertrude McKean of Stoneham, Edith Pike and Norma Reilhan of South Waterford, and Alice Morse and Bill Bull of Waterford Flat. These persons were chosen because of the interest they have shown in Young People's work and the promise they show as future leaders and workers.

The Waterford Men's Club held an open meeting at the Wilkins House and were privileged to hear Prof. Hromadka, of the University of Prague, speak on "Czechoslovakia under the Nazis."

Tuesday a circle supper was held at North Waterford.

THE COMING WEEK:

Sunday: In the absence of Mr. Bull and Mr. Bickett it is hoped that Mr. Martin will be able to help us again. The Waterford Service has been moved to 10.15 rather than 10.30 to enable the ministers to meet all service appointments.

There will be no Sunset Service this evening as the one of last Sunday was the final service of the summer.

Tuesday evening a young people's council meeting is planned to make plans for the year's program.

The Circle suppers in Stoneham have been cancelled until the first week in October. As is the custom the Ladies of Stoneham take the month of September for their Circle vacation.

Friday is the regular date for the Circle supper in Lovell.

Mr. Bickett and his family are now enjoying their vacation in New York. They are due to back with us again about the 20th of September.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the prompt and efficient work of the Bethel fire department and the timely assistance of our neighbors at the fire which nearly destroyed our home last Saturday morning.

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